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## KENTUCKY'S INFAMY.

In a brief submitted to the Court of Appeals, State Senator CHARLES J. BRONSTON of Lexington, the well known Democratic leader, says of the principles and objects of the Gobel Election Law:

"The measure viewed from a purely political standpoint, is cowardly, corrupt and dishonest."

"Cowardly, in that it forces a great party, which has attained complete local success by persistent adherence to fixed principles of exact equality of the citizen, free and equal elections and local self-government, to abandon such principles and ask future advancement by the use of powers so concentrated and arbitrary as to offend all sense of fair dealing."

"Corrupt, in that it creates a political machine and makes it possible for a free people to be governed by a boss whose greed for official power will supplant all interest, however dear, of the individual citizen."

"Dishonest, in that, under the plausible pretense of preventing fraud, it opens so wide the avenue for unscrupulous fraud as to become repulsive to the traditions of the party whose fair name the promoters of this measure seek to degrade. The intelligent and courageous manhood of this state will never submit without protest to the use of such arbitrary and autocratic power, and the political party which assumes the burden will surely be crushed under its self-destructive weight."

"May I beg to state to this honorable Court that the only hope of the citizens of this Commonwealth for relief from such radical invasion of constitutional rights lies in this Court. Partisan and political majorities, when once clothed with such power, will never surrender. If this act is judicially approved by the highest Court it will never be repealed, and only amended to increase the power therein conferred. The majority will effectively use it, and if perchance, the opposing minority should succeed to power, they, too, will keep and use it."

The London Lancet, commenting on the Prince of Wales's recovery from a recent injury, reviews the mishap as follows:

"It will be remembered that while descending a spiral staircase the Prince missed his footing, and the extreme effort which he then made to recover his balance caused a rupture of the insertion of the left quadriceps extensor muscle, which tore away with it at the same time the upper portion of the patella."

It is rumored that His Royal Highness is to come to America and view the yacht races. We hope he will bring his patella and his quadriceps extensor muscle with him. We would like to see in what way they differ from a "busted knee cap."

The exports of domestic merchandise during last month aggregated \$127,488,467, an increase over November, 1897, of about \$18,000,000. For the seven months ended with November 1898, the exports of the United States amounted to \$1,117,681,199, an increase over the same period in 1897 of \$143,036,115. These figures represent the farm products and manufactured articles that the farmers and manufacturers of the United States have sold to foreigners. And yet, when the Dingley Bill was before Congress, the Democratic apologetes and scribblers tried their best to make people believe that, if it became a law, no American farmer and no American manufacturer could sell a dollar's worth of his goods abroad. In this, as in all things, the Democrats have proven false prophets.

In his brief address before the Georgia Legislature at Atlanta these memorable words were uttered by President McKinley:

"Every soldier's grave made during our unfortunate Civil War is a tribute to American valor, and while, when those graves were made, we differed widely about the future of the Government, those differences were long ago settled by the arbitrament of arms—and the time has now come in the evolution of sentiment and feeling under the Providence of God, when in the spirit of fraternity we should share with you in the care of the graves of the Confederate soldiers."

A wild cheer went up from every throat in the typical Southern audience, a cheer that echoed and re-echoed through the chamber until it was taken up by the crowds outside. Old men, who fought for the South, rose from their seats and waved their hats. One Confederate veteran, now a venerable legislator, had pressed forward until he was leaning against the Speaker's desk, hanging on to each word the President uttered. When the reference was made to the Confederate dead, this old man buried his head in his arms, and while the cheers rang out cried like a little child.

Of all the many consolatory speeches which have been made since Grant said "Let there be peace" nothing has more deeply stirred a Southern audience than the simple words of President McKinley.

TODAY'S DATE IS NUMBERED

GLASSBORO, Ky., Dec. 17.—Robert Brown, for the murder of his father-in-law, Alonzo McClelland, and Johnson Franklin, for the murder of his mother-in-law, Mary Bowles, were Friday sentenced to be hanged Friday, March 10. Brown complained that he did not have a fair trial, and will appeal his case. He said he had no malice toward McClelland. Franklin said he would accept the verdict. Life to him had been a hell for two years. His wife no longer loves him, and he would rather die than live.

Kentucky Domestic Money Order Office.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The following post offices in Kentucky will become money order offices January 3: Bernstadt, Laurel county; Eugene, Magoffin county; Grant, Boone county; Hendricks, McGoffin county; Knottsville, Daviess county; McAfee, Mercer county; Morning View, Kenton county; Oakville, Logan county; Patesville, Hancock county; Rich Pond, Warren county; Webbville, Lawrence county.

Piras Goin Lynched.

MIDDLESBORO, Ky., Dec. 17.—News reaches here from Lee county, Virginia, that Pleas Goin, who killed Hunt Kesterson and mortally wounded Fred Berk, was lynched by a mob of mountaineers. After he was strung up the men fired several volleys into the body and dispersed. Goin fled after the murder and it was several hours before he was run down.

Will Contest the Will.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 17.—Mrs. Kate P. Wathen, wife of Dr. W. H. Wathen, and a leading society woman, has decided to contest the will of her father, John G. Roach, who was a wealthy whisky dealer. All the estate is left to the widow for life. At her death it is to be divided among the children and grandchildren. The estate is large.

Another Black Diamond Railroad Bridge.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 17.—Col. Albert E. Boone, of Black Diamond railroad fame, obtained articles of incorporation from the secretary of state Friday for the Ghent-Vevay Bridge and Terminal Railway Co. It is capitalized at \$85,000, and is to operate between Ghent, Carroll county, Ky., and Vevay, Ind.

Sentenced for Life.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 17.—Martin Johnson and Robert Rowland, each of whom accuses the other of the murder of old and venerable Negro Jupiter Lewis, were both sentenced to the penitentiary for life. They were the only two material witnesses in the cases against each other.

Brownlow Turned Down by Bradley.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 17.—Gov. Bradley, Friday morning turned down the request of Congressman Brownlow, of Tennessee, for the pardon of William Garrett, one of his constituents, who is doing time in state prison here for manslaughter.

Tom Lansing's Benefit.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 17.—The attendance at the benefit given to Tom Lansing Friday night was small. About \$100 was realized. The entertainment consisted of sparring contests by locals.

Death From Cancer.

EMINENCE, Ky., Dec. 17.—John A. Wise, a wealthy farmer, died at his home near town of cancer of the stomach. Mr. Wise was in the sixty-ninth year of his age. The remains were buried Friday in Eminence cemetery.

Jury Couldn't Agree.

PARIS, Ky., Dec. 17.—Jury in the Hutchcraft will case, after having been out two days and one night, could not reach a verdict and was discharged Friday.

Heirs to a New Estate.

STURGIS, Ky., Dec. 17.—By the death of an uncle, Dr. E. D. Porter, of Memphis, Mrs. Robert Benedict and Thos. Pride, of Sturgis, fall heir to an estate worth \$50,000.

Fireman's Narrow Escape.

PARIS, Ky., Dec. 17.—In returning from a fire, Fireman George Doehrer was thrown from a hose wagon and narrowly escaped being crushed to death under the wheels.

Kentucky Post Office Discontinued.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The post office at Cheek, Grayson county, Ky., has been discontinued.

Born in a Barber Shop.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Dec. 17.—Ida Cargyle, a 16-year-old colored girl, entered the rear room of John Wright's barber shop, on East Main street, Friday, unknown to the proprietor, and became the mother of a ten-pound male child. She claims Chattanooga as her home. The girl accuses Louis Butler, a laborer, of being the father.

Thieves in a Railroad Depot.

NEW CONCORD, O., Dec. 17.—The B. & O. depot at this place was entered by thieves about midnight Friday morning, while Night Operator May was at lunch, and took an express package containing \$175. The thieves entered through a rear window. The money was paid over to Day Agent T. J. Reader Thursday. No clew.

New Health Officer.

COLUMBIA, O., Dec. 17.—The governor Friday appointed Dr. Frank Warner, of this city, to succeed Dr. T. C. Hoover, of the state health board.

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FOR ALL WOMEN

Nine-tenths of all the pain and sickness from which women suffer is caused by weakness or derangement in the organs of menstruation. Nearly always when a woman is not well these organs are affected. But when they are strong and healthy a woman is very seldom sick.

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WINE OF CARDUI

A daughter of Mack Craycraft died near Sardinia of throat disease.

The open season for hunting quail and squirrel in Ohio closed Thursday.

Semi-cannel Coal cheaper than Pomeroy at Wm. Davis's, near Limestone Mill.

Claud M. Thomas has been elected State Organizer of the Tobacco Growers League by its Board of Directors.

Mr. W. H. Wells and Miss Lucy Baldwin of Richmond were married Thursday at the Phoenix Hotel, Lexington.

The Grand Jury at Louisville returned indictments against persons charged with selling cigarettes to minors.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

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When you ask for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve don't accept a counterfeit or imitation. There are more cases of Piles being cured by this than all others combined. Henry W. Ray, adjoining Postoffice.

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12-ball... 25c each	
15-ball... 40c each	
20-ball... 50c each	
25-ball... 80c each	

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